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This application is abandoned in view of:						
1. Applicant's failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office letter mailed on 22 May 2009.  (a) A reply was received on (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated), which is after the expiration of the period for reply (including a total extension of time of month(s)) which expired on						
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(c) ☐ A reply was received on but it does not constitute a proper reply, or a bona fide attempt at a proper reply, to the non-final rejection. See 37 CFR 1.85(a) and 1.111. (See explanation in box 7 below).						
(d) ☑ No reply has been received.						
2. Applicant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, within the statutory period of three months from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85).						
(a) The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, was received on (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated), which is after the expiration of the statutory period for payment of the issue fee (and publication fee) set in the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85).						
(b) ☐ The submitted fee of \$ is insufficient. A balance	e of \$ is due.					
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(c) ☐ The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, has not been received.						
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(a) Proposed corrected drawings were received on (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated), which is after the expiration of the period for reply.						
(b) ☐ No corrected drawings have been received.						
4. The letter of express abandonment which is signed by the attorney or agent of record, the assignee of the entire interest, or all of the applicants.						
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6. The decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interfer of the decision has expired and there are no allowed clair		e the period for see	eking court review			
7. ☑ The reason(s) below:						
A call was made to the attorney of record on Decen	nber 14, 2009 to verify the abando	onment of the app	olication.			
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